

# TIME IS RUNNING OUT TO STOP THE PUTIN PIPELINE

IF COMPLETED, IT WOULD:



ENABLE RUSSIAN  
EXPANSIONISM AND  
ECONOMIC BLACKMAIL



UNDERMINE AMERICA'S  
NATIONAL SECURITY  
INTERESTS



DEVASTATE THE  
ENERGY SECURITY OF  
OUR EUROPEAN ALLIES

## WHAT ARE THE EXPERTS SAYING?

"RUSSIA'S \$12 BILLION NORD STREAM 2 IS NOT A NATURAL GAS PIPELINE. IT'S A WEAPON, IN THE FORM OF AN UNDERWATER PIPELINE [...] INDEED THE PIPELINE REPRESENTS AN EXISTENTIAL THREAT TO EUROPE." DIANE FRANCIS, SENIOR FELLOW AT THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL

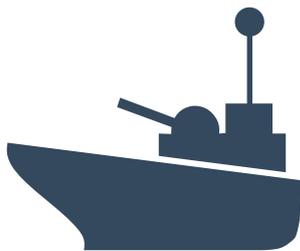
"ONCE THE NEW PIPELINE IS BUILT [...] RUSSIA WILL BE ABLE TO SHUT OFF ENERGY SUPPLIES TO EASTERN EUROPE FAR MORE EASILY." MARC A. THIESSEN, RESIDENT FELLOW AT AMERICAN ENTERPRISE INSTITUTE

"WITH GAZPROM'S NORD STREAM 2, PUTIN IS GETTING READY TO PUT THE SCREWS ON EUROPE. [...] THE NEW PIPELINE WON'T DELIVER ENERGY SECURITY. IT WILL MAKE THE EU MORE DEPENDENT ON A CAPRICIOUS RUSSIA." MIKHAIL KORCHEMKIN, FOUNDER OF EAST EUROPEAN GAS ANALYSIS

## PROTECTING EUROPE'S ENERGY SECURITY ACT OF 2019



BIPARTISAN LEGISLATION  
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IMPOSES DEVASTATING,  
TARGETED SANCTIONS ON THE  
VESSELS THAT PUTIN NEEDS  
TO COMPLETE THE PIPELINE



WOULD STOP THE PIPELINE,  
DEPRIVE PUTIN THE  
RESOURCES NEEDED TO  
FUEL RUSSIAN EXPANSIONISM